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TITLE: METHOD FOR PLAYING A GAMBLING GAME

REQUEST FOR AN INTERVIEW WITH THE EXAMINER

Hon. Commissioner for Patents United States Patent and Trademark Office P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The undersigned attorney-of-record, on behalf of Applicant, respectfully requests the courtesy of a personal or telephonic interview with the Examiner for the purpose of discussing the merits of the final Office Action, dated October 16, 2007, and Applicant's formal *Response to the Final Office Action*, filed November 21, 2007.

Applicant and his counsel thank the Examiner for his consideration of this

request.

Respectfully submitted,

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